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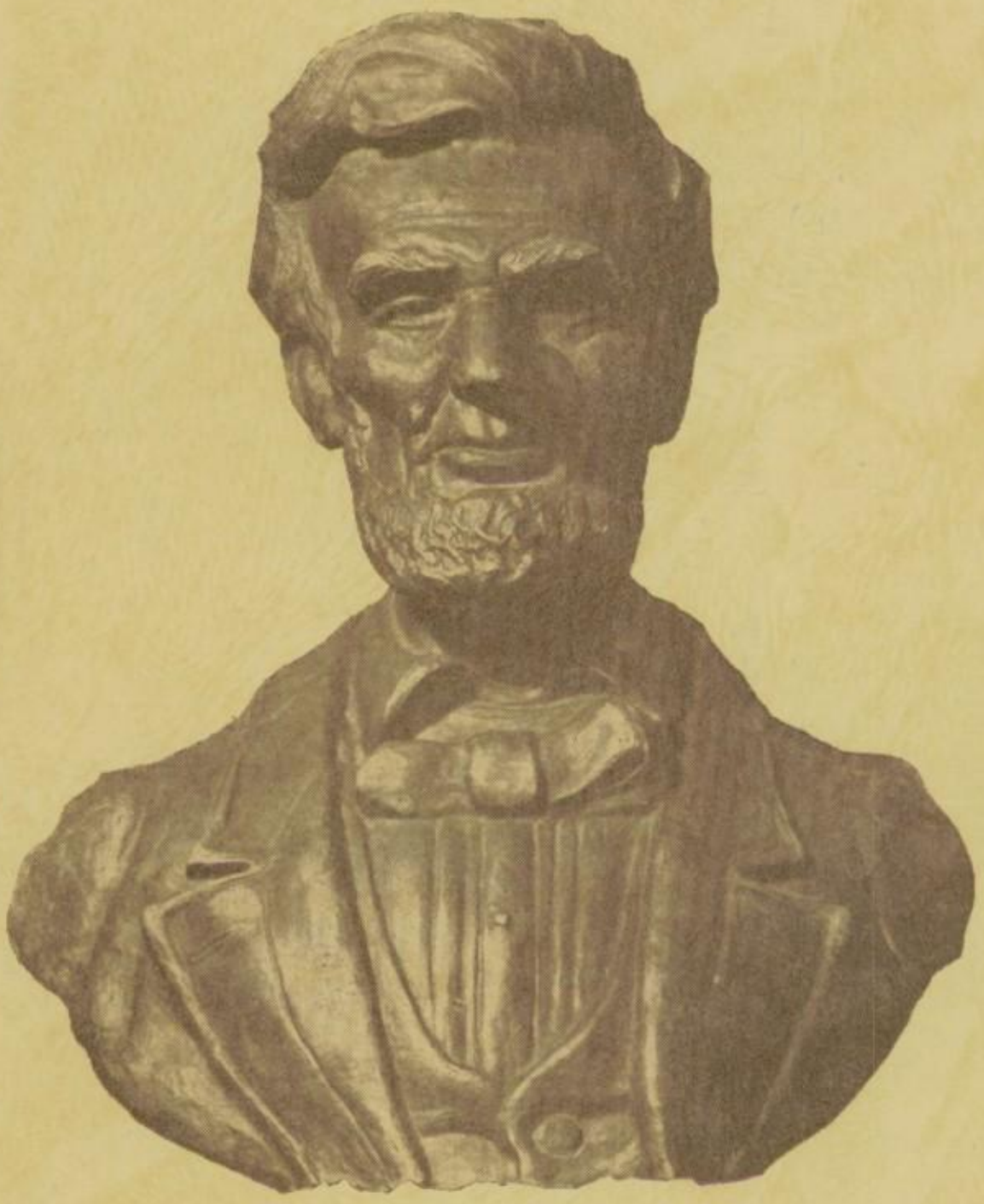

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Class Will

¶ Twila McMurray leaves her driving ability to Dave Ostrem. Lee Bird leaves all his good times at Francies to Fred Oliphant. Fred also inherits all of Bud Knouf's hang-overs. Leah Hiatt leaves her headaches to the next Rail editor and Frances Halbeison leaves the empty money bags and financial problems to whoever gets them. Barbara Bergstrom leaves her gum chewing to Mr. Sanders. Bob Armoroli and Ben Kissell will give their curly hair to whoever will relieve them of it. Betty Lou Green wills her majorette uniform to some girl who will take good care of it and who will enjoy being a majorette as much as she has.

¶ *F. D. Sprinkle will inherit Fred Thomas' way with women and Marilyn Myers' saddle shoes. Marjorie Hampshire leaves all her good times to her sister, Donna, while Betty Brockman leaves all the things she's never had to Gitta Shieks and Pat Bird. JoAnn MacRae will get Margaret Reilly's ability to knit Argyle socks. To Dave Ostrem goes the ability to break people's pencils that Louie Campopiano now possesses, and to Bob Lucas goes the stupendous height of Mary Anne Procopio.*

¶ The two so-called sisters?? of Dick Delmege go to whoever will take them. To Mr. Meffert, John Pieart leaves his ability to run the halls, and Jack Sarasio gives him his ability to get free muskmelons. Some unlucky soul may inherit George Thurman's daily drive to and from Berwick, Iowa. Bob Brooks is leaving his legs to Frank Cataldo while Mary Rump is leaving her shoulders to Sam Caligiuri. Lorraine Abrahamson's Get-together cigar will go to whoever wants it. Mary Oleson's curly hair and Joan Furnal's fingernails go to Betty Howland. Ralph Wilson is just being stingy and keeping everything to himself.

¶ *Bob Carr is leaving his nose to Johnson. Betty Rae Vallandingham is leaving her dreams of Mr. Besley to someone on the office staff. To Betty Allen goes the piano playing ability of Dorothy Groves while Carl Haaland inherits the trumpet playing of Bob Abild. Gene Riley will inherit the good looks and modest personality of John Newberg. A stool at Minnies is going to LaVonne McConkey and Joan Fenner from Lonore Ritter and Lila McDowoll, respectively. To whoever wants them goes Dean Trent's daily visits to the office, and Pat McPhee's ability to gyp. Jerry Hoffa wills his troubles with women to Don Draper while Francis Riggle wills all his troubles to Beverly Hitsman and Budd Glew. To the next homecoming queen goes the majestic joys of Mary Van Ginkel.*

¶ Lucky Bud Hinse gets all of the hours Wilbur Bruce has spent with Mr. Besley. Marilyn Hemming divides the crack in her head to Mary Lou Chambers and Ann Sullivan. Michael Daly leaves his collection of old bottles?? to Jack Murphy. To Charlotte Van Ginkel goes Darlene Todd's "St. Louis Blues Street." JoAnn Tam is leaving Mr. Tomlinson's subtle wit to all pursuers of science. Carlene Trent leaves her red hair to Rachel Leo. Elizabeth Phillip's ability to get tall men goes to Margaret Johnson. Also to Margaret goes Charlotte Carey's Donald Duck voice. To Dick Mortoza's collection goes the ability of Joe McLaughlin to throw the truth around.

¶ *Some catty soul may inherit the green eyes of Mary Lou Tavenner. Richard Walker leaves his job as equipment manager to Carl Foust. Pete Tursi wills his history troubles to Charles Celsi while Joan Hall leaves hers to Shirley Bolter. To Gloria Lehman and Betty Daughenbaugh goes all of Delores Wright's old flames. Ralph Kissell leaves his hacking ability to Darrell Stewart. Gilbert Mote leaves all his troubles to R. L. Charles Houck leaves his seat in second bass section to Peggy Wiltsie, Pat Beck leaves her glasses to Jennie Loffredo and last but not least, Louise Fillman leaves her boy friend's car troubles to anyone with a car.*

Class Officers

Richard Delmege very capably holds the office of president of the senior class. Dick's friendly smile and cheerful disposition have endeared him to his classmates, and his athletic abilities have earned for him the respect and admiration of all sports enthusiasts.

Dean Trent, a firm believer in the abilities of his classmates and of the motto "Give the credit to the others." His modesty and sincerity in all undertakings, especially athletic, have proven that he is a great humanitarian and has won him a host of friends.

The dream of every girl in her senior class was realized by Betty Rae Vallandingham when she was elected class secretary. Rae has both the ability and the ambition to carry out the difficult responsibilities which were thrust upon her by the senior class.

In accordance with her bookkeeping training, Frances Halbieson was chosen class treasurer. Her courageous determination and scholastic standing have proven her ability to overcome great obstacles and to take her place with honor and pride as an alumnus of A. L. H. S.

Bob Abild . . .
Faithful band member . . . Student director . . . Flashy member of track team . . . earned monogram as miler . . . says biggest thrill was . . . solo flight . . . Now is proud possessor of pilot's license . . . Longtime member of Teen Toppers . . .plans on a college career . . . Then own his own business . . . Most embarrassed . . . one rainy night by his motorcycle hummi! . . . claims his hobbies include flying . . . music . . . and hunting . . . hunting what, Bob? . . . hails from Park Avenue . . . Can usually be seen on his motorcycle . . . good looking . . . quiet . . . swell fellow.

Lee Bird . . .
Good looking . . . member of the Soda Grill gang . . . member of the swimming team since tenth grade . . . Sports flashy letter sweater . . . was hard working member of Rail Staff . . . advertising . . . The sand pits bring certain memories to Lee . . . This sounds interesting . . . meeting Fred's girl, Pat, is classed as a big thrill for Lee . . . Spatsie longs to own a big car and tank of gas. Lee was a bad boy in grade school (Only in grade school?) . . . In 2nd grade had to stand in corner . . . "Swallow" is everyone's friend.

Lorraine Abrahamson . . .
Industrious miss . . . on Greenhorn Staff . . . Senior Formal Committee . . . past member of the Office Staff . . . bowling and ice skating take up spare time . . . Proud of Maple Grove heritage . . . face turned scarlet . . . caught devouring a small snack in class . . . Will always remember grade school . . . spent recesses jumping into W.B.'s arms . . . and playing cupid for grade school chums. Embarrassed over mix-up of words, optometrist and obstetrician . . . Plans NOT to be a good wife . . . or stenographer . . . Lives up to the title "Sweet Lorraine."

Betty Brockman . . .
"Blue eyes" is an active member of the Calico Club . . . Teen Topper . . . Lou's many hobbies include ice skating . . . dancing . . . and a certain brown eyed fellow . . . Betty has the urge to travel and see the forty-eight states . . . "Lulu" can remember (only too well) falling flat on a slippery dance floor . . . blush!! . . . is still awaiting her biggest thrill . . . photography fiend . . . chums with Gitta and Pat . . . served on banquet com . . . too nice for dark secrets . . . comes running to nicknames . . . "Chicken" . . . "Old Lady" . . . nice gal . . .

Bob Armaroli . . .
Sincere . . . Fun . . . Bob says he hopes to be a good physicist . . . served for a semester on student council as welfare chairman . . . on senior banquet committee . . . Big wheel in DeMolay . . . held office of treasurer for one year . . . Bob hopes to meet his biggest thrill soon and hopes she's good looking . . . Industrious fellow was president of the 16mm. crew in 11A . . . President of stage crew in 12A . . . Photography and coin collecting are main hobbies with cute girls listed as most enjoyable sideline . . . nice guy.

Bob Brooks . . .
"The Tall one" . . . Safety Chairman of Student Council . . . Basketball fiend . . . Lettered in the sport . . . Big man on baseball team . . . won letter in '46 . . . claims hobbies are map collecting . . . Lizzy . . . big ambition is to get married and . . . raise a football team . . . (planning on being a millionaire?!) . . .Won't disclose red face moments . . . (Why Bob?) . . . Says big thrill is yet to come . . . Once decided to take unscheduled vacation during grade school . . . lasted a week before he was forced to cancel it . . . tall . . . nice looking.

Patty Beck . . .
Quiet . . . Nice . . . Pat claims favorite hobby is pestering people . . . but we know better! . . . served on senior banquet committee . . . Patty pines to own a new car . . . and travel around the country looking for her dream man . . . friends say she made a sweet angel in a grade school play . . . but we've seen that mischievous gleam in her eyes . . . proudly hails from Howe . . . P. B. enjoys all sports. Just won't tell most embarrassing moments . . . is eagerly awaiting her biggest thrill . . . Noted for her nice clothes . . .Sweet girl.

Wilbur Bruce . . .
Devilish . . . staunch member of Hi-Y and the 3 B's . . . spends most of his moments eating and sleeping . . . but has some time left for women and sports . . . "Will" looks forward to graduation as biggest thrill . . . the skeletons in W. B.'s grade school closet rattle when he thinks of . . . bending position he assumed . . . for principal at Maple Grove . . . Wilbur intends to someday own the Empire State Building . . . not a bad future . . . Says he doesn't embarrass easily . . . served on Get-to-Gether com. . . . pals with Knouf . . . loads of fun . . .

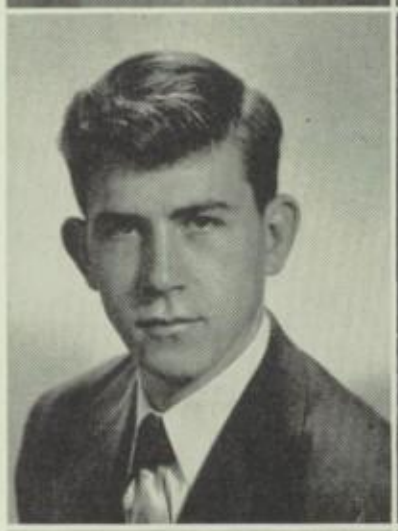
Barbara Bergstrom . . .
Faithful library staff member . . . Class day committee . . . a D.G.D.er . . . was slightly embarrassed when . . . grade school teacher taped her mouth and "Bergie" spent the rest of the period in the corner . . . Spending a week-end at I. S. T. C. proved interesting . . . Tell us more, Barb! . . . Made quite an impression falling down stairs during an intermission at the KRNT Radio Theatre . . . Barb likes to dance and drive an auto . . . Barbara is headed for college after graduation . . . School teaching is her ambition . . . Wants to rule the roost in a kindergarten . . . Can usually be seen with Todd and Tam . . .

Lewis Campopiano . . .
To be a millionaire playboy . . . and to be six feet tall . . . are Louie's goals . . . another member of the 3 B's . . . athletic fellow . . . earned letters in baseball and football . . . biggest thrill was playing with the baseball team . . . fills spare time building model airplanes . . . also enjoys gazing at pretty girls . . . constantly embarrassed when seen with Bud Knouf . . . seems quiet . . . but ask his friends . . . curly hair and beautiful eyes are the envy of classmates . . . L. C. has reputation of having been quite a fiend at Maple Grove.

Charlotte Carey . . .
Blonde . . . active member of Home Ec staff . . . efficient chairman of Parent-Teachers Tea Comm . . . collects stamps and coins!! (who wouldn't?) . . . wants to be a commercial artist and a good wife . . . in grade school slid merrily down the banister . . . bumped right into the principal . . . was mighty embarrassed when talking to someone only to find out . . . it was the some one she was talking about . . . will always remember meeting a certain fellow . . . sigh!!! Graduation will also be thrilling . . . Char can be seen with Betty and Violet . . . a real friend . . .

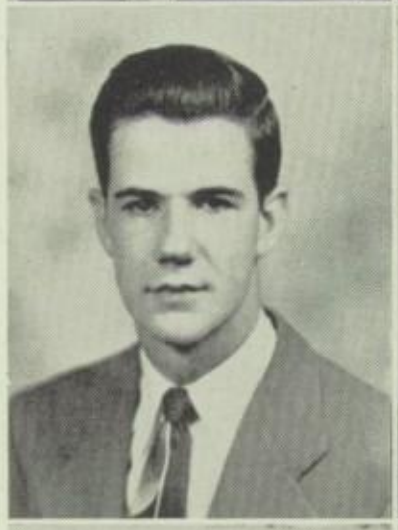
Joan Furnal . . .
This dark eyed little Miss served on the banquet com. . . . claims all sports take up most of her spare time . . . has big ambition to travel . . . just won't tell us about her red-faced moments . . . (why, Jo?) . . . says two car wrecks in one day . . . was big thrill — (we don't get it) . . . one of the Howe gang — won't relate adventures that took place there . . . young member of the class — has many friends . . . usually seen with Pat . . . Mary . . . Louise . . . Betty . . . beautiful, dark hair . . . quiet . . . friendly . . . nice to know.

Robert E. Carr . . .
Was slapped in grade school . . . for making a noise like a dog . . . making a noise like a dog is just one of Bob's many talents . . . was once a stamp collector . . . recently switched hobbies . . . but won't tell its nature . . . big wheel at the "Strand" . . . will be thrilled at getting out of school . . . loves to gun around in his auto . . . and to race with police cars . . . nice pastime!! . . . was accused of smoking when just a little boy in grade school . . . Oh! the teacher must have been wrong, Bob . . . hails from Howe . . . . a good friend to all.



Betty Lou Green . . .
Cute . . . active little miss . . . head of Senior Get-together com. . . . Make-up editor of the Regular Rail and Co-Makeup editor of Senior Rail . . . This busy girl has served on . . . Gym Staff 5, 6, 8 . . . Senior Council . . . headed Lincolnite com. 8 . . . Past Y-Teen prexy . . . "Louie" is best remembered as our high stepping majorette . . . made a good one . . . Seems an Indianola basketball game! was the scene of some embarrassing??? moment . . . was another of Jeannine? Lee's henchmen at good old P.A. . . . Thrilled when majorettes were chosen to lead the Moose Band . . . B-U wants to become a stenographer . . . then get married . . . attractive gal . . .

Michael F. Daly . . .
Chairman of Banquet Com. . . . wants to become a successful engineer . . . he will be . . . brilliant lad . . . Math and Physical Sciences are favorites . . . Can't remember ever being bad . . . in grade school . . . angelic . . . Mickey is college bound after graduation . . . Embarrassing moments? ? Not Mike! ! . . . Another 120 inmate . . . popular boy . . . Still awaiting biggest thrill . . . Has also studied in Calif. . . . likes members of the opposite . . . he says! . . . wants to have a home . . . and all that goes with it . . . Mike is bound to be a success . . . One swell guy . . .



Dorothy Groves . . .
"Dor" . . . active member of student council . . . Y-Teen . . . big wheel on the Rail . . . Copy editor of Regular Rail . . . Circulation manager of Senior Rail . . . get-together committee . . . was on office staff in 11th grade . . . really plays a mean piano . . . men . . . knitting . . . loafing . . . take up many of D.L.G.'s spare moments . . . most embarrassed . . . when she thought a . . . caller was a neighborhood joker . . . found out he was an important! personnel director . . . Mercy Dorth! . . . was a beat walker at Park Ave. when Jeannine Lee was gang boss . . . Success is Dorothy's amition . . . Swell girl . . . personality plus . . . friend to all . . . energetic person.

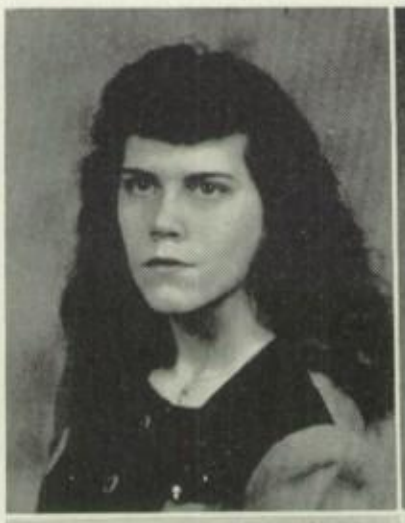
Richard Delmege . . .
Big gun in senior class . . . efficient class prexy . . . member of the Hi-Y . . . student council . . . 5, 6, 7 . . . sports minded . . . tops in baseball-football . . . much noted pitcher of last season . . . chosen on all-city baseball team . . . one of the main cogs on the football team . . . outstanding backfield man . . . on all-city football team of the coaches . . . Derk of "Derk and Jerk" sports column. To sell Brooklyn Bridge to Trent—for few million is D.D.'s ambition! . . . claims receiving class key and Marianne are biggest thrill . . . embarrassed when seen in 240 . . . (who isn't!) . . . Can be seen with Hoffa, Trent, or Marianne . . . handsome.

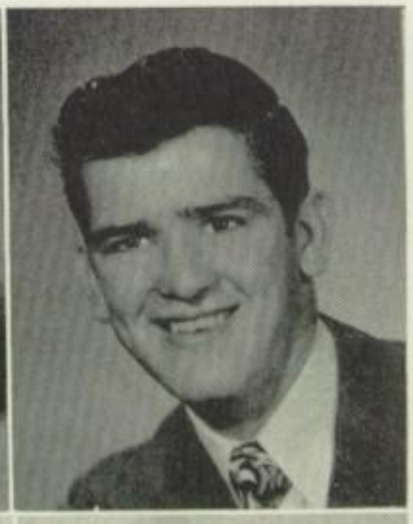
Frances Halbeisen . . .
"Fritz" . . . loyal member of nurses staff since 10th grade . . . capable treasurer of senior class . . . did a fine job . . . Intelligent member of the class . . . enjoys sewing . . . football games . . . this ambitious gal plans to own a car and travel . . . Hopes to keep out of Sing-Sing . . . Don't worry about it, Francie! . . . Says the thrill of thrills is yet to come . . . had to sit in the hall in grade school! . . . Teacher said she talked too much . . . Why Frances! . . . Can usually be seen with Bergie . . . Hemming . . . wonderful girl . . . Nice to know.

Louise Fillman . . .
Blonde . . . nice looking . . . lovely complexion . . . hobbies include dancing . . . swimming . . . skating . . . Spends part of the day working . . . biggest ambition is to master the art of cooking . . . claims receiving diamond quite a thrill . . . on Home Ec. staff . . . most embarrassed when discovered writing a letter, in typing class . . . (why, Louise?) . . . says face also turned scarlet when the effects of a horseback ride set in . . . can usually be seen with Joan . . . Betty . . . Mary . . . swell gal . . . quiet . . . nice to know.

Joan Malloy Hall . . .
Jo remembers! vividly the day she spent in the corner at Park Ave. . . . won't reveal the reasons for this punishment . . . acquired that "Mrs." during the summer . . . wants to be a good wife to Jim . . . "Mert" enjoys eating . . . loafing . . . driving . . . mostly Jim . . . graduation will be realization of a long time dream . . . nurse staff member since 11A . . . Informal committee . . . pals with Dee . . . Joan. . Shirley . . . Jo's wedding claims biggest thrill title . . . Remains tight-lipped about embarrassing moments . . . they must have been rare . . . nice looking lass.

Marjorie Hampshire . . .
"Margie" . . . remembers copying an arithmetic lesson in grade school . . . getting caught . . . staying after school for the same . . . Marg's big ambition . . . to travel far and near . . . Marjorie's hobbies are collecting pictures . . . movies . . . singing . . . to wear her cap and gown will be her biggest thrill . . . this active gal is a member of the gym staff . . . student council . . . served on the get-together committee . . . Had an out-and-out tangle with an unfriendly dog one dark night . . . who was the victor, Marg? . . . sweet girl.





Ralph Kissell . . .
Small but mighty . . . DeMolay . . . Golf team since 10th grade . . . lettered twice . . . also co-captain of team . . . ambition? to become a professional golf player . . . of course! and to get a college education . . . receiving his first monogram . . . and co-captain's star . . . gave Ralph his biggest thrill . . . can recall being turned over a chair . . . in paddling position . . . teacher was called from the room . . . and Ralph was left in that precarious position . . . and in front of the whole 4th grade . . . my . . . "Curly" . . . "Giant-head" Nice.

Marilyn Hemming . . .
"Katrink" . . . longs to own an auto and gun around . . . president of Y-Teen . . . did a grand job of it . . . becoming an aunt proved to be big thrill for H.A.M. . . . Remembers well teasing and tormenting Ralph . . . in dear ol' Maple Grove . . . proud to say she knows M.G.'s song by heart . . . Spends much of her spare time writing to her pen-pal, Tony . . . sounds interesting, Mal . . . her many friends include Bergie . . . Todd . . . Myers . . . Halbeisen . . . Tam . . . Trent . . . full of fun . . . Nice clothes . . . infectious laugh.

Virgil Knouf . . .
Swell personality . . . council member . . . Lincolnite com. head, 6 . . . chosen to lead June "48" class . . . Originator of the 3B's . . . H.C. member . . . Noted for big birthday parties . . . (3 a week) . . . wants to be a wheel at Meredith's . . . says "Charlie" and cars are thrilling . . . was given a 3 day vacation . . . by request of Mr. Besley . . . nice work, Virgil . . . driving . . . guns . . . clothes and Carla . . . fill Bud's spare moments . . . Swimming at the club with two certain companions proved to be a ticklish situation . . . always fun . . . friendly . . .

Leah Hiatt . . .
Active gal on the senior list . . . Lee was the Treas. of the student council this semester . . . G.A.A. pres. 6, 7 . . . member of tennis team . . . Lettered in 12A . . . editor of regular and Greenhorn Rail . . . made a lovely attendant to the Homecoming Queen . . . chairman of formal committee . . . served on informal committee . . . Generally known as Dean's better half . . . caught mocking the teacher in grade school . . . goodness Leah . . . "Le-Hi" likes reading a good book . . . plays a mean game of tennis . . . claims her biggest thrill was being an attendant at Homecoming . . . pretty . . . ambitious . . . usually seen with the Trents'.

Lila McDowell . . .
"Red" . . . on home ec. staff . . . served on Banquet Committee . . . Spends lots of time . . . Dancing . . . Roller Skating . . . enjoys music . . . "Flame" has big ambition to be a housewife! . . . was most embarrassed when a long distance call came unexpectedly (What's the deal, Lila?!) . . . quite thrilled when she received her diamond . . . from Jerry . . . Won't mention grade school days . . . (We wonder why?) . . . beautiful red hair . . . Sweet smile . . . Nice clothes . . . Personality to match . . . Pals with Pat Bird . . . Nora . . . and Fenner . . . Nice to know.

Charles Houck . . .
To become a composer . . . and own a Harem! ! are Curly's worthy ambitions . . . remembers the time he was kissed by his music teacher . . . way back in grade school . . . has had a deep love for music ever since . . . Served on cap and gown committee . . . Glee Club treas. in 12B . . . won a 1st in state music contest and a special in National Writing Association . . . Studying aeronautics in Calif. was thrilling for Chuck . . . swimming . . . aviation . . . traveling . . . all claim Chuckle's spare moments . . . talented boy . . . Everyone's pal . . .

Joe McLaughlin . . .
"Mac" . . . noted member of 3B's club . . . in Hi-Y . . . Basketball 6, 7 . . . Won two letters in golf . . . Chosen Co-Captain of the team . . . Lincoln's Bobby Jones!! . . . Sports editor of Regular Rail . . . Greenhorn Sports-Columnist . . . Claims hobbies are . . . Sports . . . Sleeping . . . eating . . . girls. Big ambition is to be a playboy! . . . Won't tell embarrassing moments?? . . . Says big thrill is yet to come . . . Plans to join Navy after Jan. 27th . . . Strong . . . silent type . . . Wavy hair . . . winning smile . . . Mischievous . . . Was once on display in Thriftway Window!!

Ben F. Kissell . . .
Small . . . nice . . . Glee Club in ninth grade . . . has never had a big thrill . . . wants to be the originator of famous sayings . . . also plans to be a cog in the air force? ? alleged Ku-Klux-Klan member . . . Benny is proud of Jefferson heritage . . . An outdoor man . . . likes hunting . . . fishing . . . auto mechanics . . . Skippy is usually seen with Sparks . . . and the fellows . . . Sr. Formal committee . . . Quiet until you get to know him then watch out . . . Curly brown hair . . . Benny will accomplish one goal when he graduates . . .

Jerry Hoffa . . .
"Sylvia" . . . big gun at A. L. H. S. . . . Jerry has lettered in Football . . . basketball . . . baseball . . . 7 monograms in all . . . "Jerk" (and sometimes we wonder) teamed with Derk to write the sports column for the Rail . . . Jerry has been a member of HR 120 since way back . . . council member 3, 4, 5 . . . Vice Pres. 5 . . . Past Pres. of Hi-Y . . . an Eagle Scout . . . eating . . . hunting . . . Colleen . . . and all sports occupy Jerk's waking moments . . . To become a doctor is Jerry's ambition . . . We know he'll be a good one . . . Hoffa becomes red-faced when seen with Delmege and Trent . . . . Nice guy to know . . . typical high school boy.

Twila McMurray . . .

"Mac" . . . Class Day com. . . . hard working journalist . . . Messenger News Ed. . . . . Kissing a little friend on the school steps . . . before the entire school is included in Twi's grade school memories . . . Swimming . . . all sports . . . collecting pictures . . . are Tula's hobbies . . . energetic kid . . . Wants to become a secretary . . . and nab some man . . . Mac has lots of friends . . . but can usually be seen with Dor . . . laughed so hard in English . . . Miss Schofield thought she was hysterical . . . What was so funny, Twila? . . . Swell girl.

Mary Olsen . . .

Dark eyed lass . . . head of informal committee . . . Did a fine job . . . member of Sr. Council . . . Quiet . . . Too many red face moments to mention . . . So she says! . . . flying . . . roller skating . . . collecting pictures of friends are "Blackie's" hobbies . . . To become a good wife to LaVal . . . passing her bronze and silver test in skating . . . Continuing her flying career are her ambitions . . . was co-pilot on C-47 to Kantone, Ill. in Aug.! . . . Receiving diamond from LaVal proved to be quite a thrill . . . Looking forward to graduation . . . Pretty hair . . . Nice to know . . .

Patricia Ruth McPhee . . .

"Penny" . . . traveling member of Sr. class . . . spent some time in Calif. . . . appeared in school play there . . . also won choir award . . . we're glad she came back to Lincoln . . . cap and gown committee . . . Jr. Council in 9B . . . "Fe-Fe" claims not to like boys . . . but doesn't give reasons . . . Can remember standing in waste basket for throwing paper wads . . . It seems she hit teacher's bending form . . . Graduation will be most thrilling for Pat . . . turned 10 shades of red when teacher caught her kissing a little boy in grade school . . . Nice . . .

Elizabeth Phillips . . .

"Lizzie" . . . tiny . . . usually seen with Bob . . . served on Jr. Student Council in 8A . . . Parent-Teacher Tea . . . to own a car and be a good wife head "Flips" list of ambitions . . . graduation will be biggest thrill . . . so far! . . . Lizzie was very embarrassed on her birthday . . . Tell us more . . . hobbies are driving a '36 Chev. . . . and Bob . . . nice . . . Hails from Park Ave. . . . a cat and Mr. Cox's drawer . . . was another exciting experience . . . seems to rate Mr. Tomlinson as . . . favorite teacher . . . or means of . . . transportation . . . friendly.

Gilbert Mote . . .

Energetic boy . . . projectors league pres. 8 . . . Big man in Demolay . . . Pres. of P.A. 7 . . . Sr. Council 7-8 . . . Appeared in "The Closed Door" . . . Longtime member of HR 120 . . . Parent teacher tea com. . . . Sr. Banquet com. . . . Sander's faithful servant . . . Mote hopes to go to college and become a success in life . . . is another lad eagerly looking forward to graduation . . . Gilb's most embarrassing moment center around a cap pistol and room 203 . . . (What's this Mote?) . . . Likes horseback riding, music . . . Fun . . . ready smile . . . Motesark.

John Pieart . . .

"Red" . . . usually seen with Jack . . . always canning in Jack's "car" . . . Big wheel on advertising staff of Senior and Regular Rail . . . was on track team in 11B . . . Hunting . . . Guns . . . are "Firetop's" Hobbies . . . to marry some rich widow with a weak heart is John's big ambition! . . . Most embarrassed! when seen kissing a girl behind school . . . biggest thrill . . . kissing that girl behind school! . . . claims his teachers are the skeletons in the grade school closet . . . "Frenchie" always with Sarasio . . . nice clothes . . . friend of all.

Marilyn Myers . . .

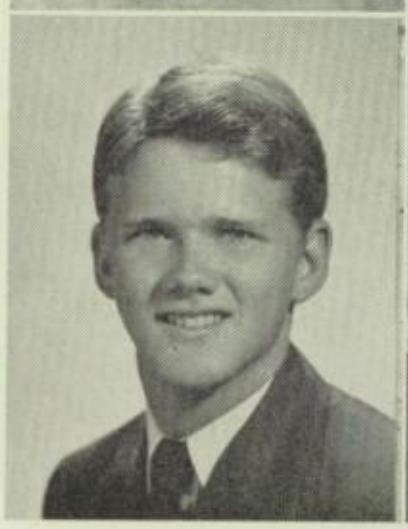
Another one of those quiet people . . . Sincere . . . wants to get the best out of life . . . Marilyn can't recall any grade school skeletons . . . Must have been an angel . . . catching a 26 inch fish was quite an experience . . . Chairman of cap and gown com. . . . very efficient . . . collects salt and pepper shakers . . . one of the Maple Grove gang . . . Loves to fish and sew . . . refuses to claim any embarrassing moments . . . we wonder? . . . good student . . . Ivy (poison) is shy possessor of a sweet smile . . . sews all her own clothes . . . sweet.

Mary Anne Procopio . . .

"Procop" . . . served on sr. council . . . co-feature ed. of Reg. Rail . . . co-sketch ed. of Sr. Rail . . . Y-Teen pres 6 . . . Library staff . . . keeps busy . . . MAP is proud of her two tennis letters . . . has played with team 10B-12A . . . honored at being elected Sec. of State at Girls' State . . . MAP plans to enter Col. U. and develop a super lab. . . . all her own . . .recalls being one of note writers at P. A.! . . . Was Jeannine Lee's right hand man during her reign . . . Learned how to hit the dirt at Y camp . . . Will always get same old feelings at interurban station in Boone! . . . A knitter from way back . . . clown of boresome foursome . . . witty . . . cute.

John Newberg . . .

"Honest John" plays a wicked game of football . . . Wheel on Sr. Council . . . lettered in football this year . . . Circulation manager for Regular Rail . . . "Pro" on the golf team . . . vividly remembers beat-walking at P. A. way back when . . . Playing on this year's football team proved to be John's biggest thrill . . . face turned red . . . he made a basket for the wrong team in a big game . . . "Goosberry" noted math shark . . . heading for college next fall . . . to be a CPA is "handsome's" goal . . . Swell fellow . . . friend to all . . . modest personality!



Margaret Reilly . . .

One busy girl . . . Jr. Council Sec. . . . Sr. Council Treas. 4 . . Y-Teens . . . Dunk's little helper . . . Staff Pres. . . . Co-Sketch Ed. for Sr. Rail . . . Co-Feature Ed. for Reg. Rail . . . likes traveling around DM in her Ford . . . Has set sights for Medical Career . . . Plans to study at S.U.I. . . .is college bound in Feb. . . . Reilly will be overjoyed when she is promoted to a Sr. Counselor at Camp . . . Jeannine Lee had poor little Margaret terrorized, too . . . also remembers a note she was forced to write to her mother due to gang's escapade . . . Noted camper-trapper . . . boresome foursome member . . . Procop and Gus are lifelong pals . . . witty . . . fun.

Francis Riggle . . .
On all-state 5th football team . . . received letters in basketball . . . football . . . baseball . . . out for track . . . Nice guy . . . Sports Editor of Greenhorn . . . winning baseball championship and going to the district . . . were Franny's biggest thrills . . . "Pee-Wee" was champion beat walker at Park Ave. . . . had a little mixup on a street car . . . sat down beside the wrong girl . . . Can always be seen with Shirley . . . is proud of owning a car . . . likes to can around in it . . . Good looking . . . always friendly . . . Riggle is a nice guy to know.

Lenore Ritter . . .
Nora . . . member of Parent, Teacher tea committee . . . Y.W.C.A. . . . in the first drivers' training class . . . Ice skating . . . Roller skating . . . Kenny takes up much of this gal's time . . . Can usually be seen at Minnie's . . . with Lila . . . Ambition . . . to be a good wife to Kenny . . . Own Minnies some day and meet Lila's boyfriend . . . Driving in Cedar Rapids—got mixed up with a rosebush . . . was quite an embarrassed gal . . . Thrilled when first she met Kenny . . . had big argument with boy in grade school . . . Boy wanted to climb tree . . . Nora wanted to climb tree—Nora climbed tree! . . . always seen with Lila . . .

Mary Rump . . .
"Gus" . . . known to all as a talented soul . . . Appeared in "Paula goes Modern" . . . "The Closed Door" . . . did a fine job in both . . . important gal on tennis team . . . Lettered in the same sport . . . Tumbling instructor at Y-Camp every summer! . . . served on informal committee . . . graceful acrobatic dancer . . . A knitter from way back! . . . Mandelbaum's girl Friday . . . every afternoon! . . . Plans to spend next four years at . . . Cornell . . . Claims big thrills are John . . . Y-Camp . . . At Park Avenue during reign of Jeannine Lee . . . An outstanding beat walker! . . . one of the boresome foursome . . . Pretty . . . Sweet . . . Beautiful hair.

Jack Sarasio . . .
Can always be seen in his car . . . usually guns . . . around with Pieart . . . ad getter on Rail staff . . . Hobbies include . . . women, women, and more . . . women . . . also his car! . . . plans to marry a millionaire's daughter . . . (smart fellow!) . . . once had hair pulled . . . for calling a grade school teacher a name . . . (was she really, an old bag, Jack?) . . . known to all as "Hot-Rod" . . . one of Western U's ace messenger boys . . . Sarasio and Pieart noted hall sneaker-arounders! . . . swell fellow . . . a real friend . . witty.

JoAnne Tam . . .
Just a little girl . . . blonde . . . class day committee . . . Y-Teens . . . DGD . . . Senior Girl Scout . . . GAA . . . Library Staff member . . . likes horses of any description—four legged or otherwise . . . wants to reform the world by writing radical books and live in the wide open spaces . . . says she wanted to adopt a first grade pal because he was mistreated at home . . . quite the humanitarian, eh? Jo would be glad to tell most embarrassing moments . . . but that would take volumes . . . cute kid . . . "Jody" . . . Likes horse races . . . "Lil Schmo" . . .

Mary Lou Tavenner . . .
Talented girl . . . acting ability has won much praise . . . appeared in "The Secret Door" . . . and . . . "Paula Goes Modern" . . . Past Sec. of council . . . class day chairman . . . Y-Teen . . . Wrote column "Tattles by Tavvy" . . . Gym staff member . . . lovely attendant to homecoming queen . . . hobbies are dancing . . . playing piano and sax . . . M. L. always wants to be happy . . . says she had too many red-faced moments to relate (Why, Mary Lou!) . . . Receiving frat pin from Jerry was quite a thrill . . . (now known as the Sigma Phi Epsilon sweetheart!) . . . Says grade school was tame . . . (We doubt it!) . . . swell girl . . . lots of friends . . . fun to be with.

Fred Thomas . . .
Freddie . . . once proclaimed genius by teacher! . . . Fred blushed . . . admitted it! . . . Vice Pres. of student council this semester . . . Big splash on swimming team . . . Won letter in swimming . . . claims special honors include being member of 120! . . . Biggest thrill . . . Girls! . . . ambition . . . girls! . . . skeletons in grade school closet . . . girls! . . . causes of most embarrassing moments girls! . . . hobbies . . . girls . . . and photography . . . (at least the boy hasn't a one track mind!) . . . says he's bashful . . . quiet . . . studious . . . (Toni, we know better!) . . . witty . . . good looking . . . nice clothes . . . intelligent.

George Thurman . . .
Just returned from army . . . glad he's graduating in Jan '49! . . . was on get-together committee . . . one of investigators of big plan after the get-together . . . one of 3B's boys . . . Commutes from Berwick . . . Hobbies include . . . bowling . . . working (George—you fool!) . . . Ambition . . . to graduate . . . Steady guest at Knouf birthday parties! . . . shining example in Miss Holmes' H7 class! (example of what?) . . . quiet . . . witty . . . nice clothes . . . handsome . . . debonair . . . friend to all . . . often seen with "Killer" . . . and the 3B's.

Darlene Todd . . .
"Wini" . . . possessor of key to most used locker in ALHS! . . . Sr. Council member in 12B . . . member of GAA . . . DGD (?!!) . . . Library staff since 10A . . . Toddie goes for ISC men . . . and who doesn't? . . . Visits the Tromar every Saturday . . . Does a mean bubble dance . . . with bubble gum! . . . Often seen chuckling at C.V.G.'s jokes . . . Plans to enter college in Feb. . . . Then on to nurses training . . .embarrassed when picked up by Highway Patrol—No driver's license . . . absence from school hard to explain! . . . catching a 7-lb. pike . . . trip this Dec. . . . Fellow in Minn. . . . are Smot Schmoe's thrills . . . fun to know . . . cute.

Carlene Trent . . .
"Car" . . . Big gun on organization staff of Rail . . . Served on get-together committee . . . Gym Staff member . . . Eating . . . Sleeping . . . men . . . are C.T.'s hobbies . . . also enjoy watching twin in sports . . . To become general manager of the New Utica is this lively gal's plan . . . Says embarrassing moments are too numerous to mention . . . was very thrilled when chosen in Younkers' Ad . . . "Carbeanie" usually seen with Darlene . . . Marilyn . . . Nice to know . . . Gal with lots of friends.

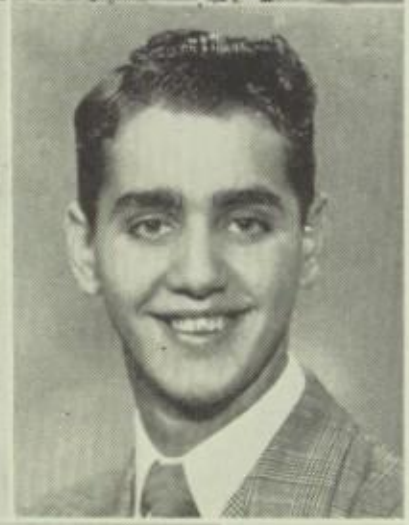
Dean Trent . . .
Outstanding athlete . . . possessor of nine monograms . . . Football . . . basketball . . . baseball . . . track . . . Vice Pres. of class . . . chosen on all-city football team, 8 . . . all-city baseball team, 7 . . . 2nd all-city basketball team, 6 . . . helped to bring much sports fame to ALHS . . . hobbies include . . . Hunting . . . fishing . . . and sports . . . big ambition is to own Brooklyn Bridge!! . . . Once lost part of clothes at big track meet . . . face turned shades of red . . . honored when elected Vice Pres. of senior class . . played football in grade school with soccer ball . . . Principal didn't care for ideal . . . "Biggest" . . . Good looking . . . swell guy.

Mary Van Ginkel . . .
Another energetic girl . . . Sr. Rail Editor . . . Proof Ed. of Reg. Rail . . . Y-Teens . . . Get-together committee . . . wants to become a good secretary . . . "Van" had to shun the attention of a . . . certain "Bird" she knew at Howe . . . Can constantly be seen with "Rae" . . . Being elected Homecoming Queen was thrill of thrills . . . looked so sweet . . . "Dimples" . . . loves sewing and sports . . . doesn't care to tell about dark moments . . . well liked by everyone . . . ranks high in Sr. Class Scholastically . . . Attractive Lass . . . "Queenie" . . . Sweet personality.

Pete Tursi . . .
Proud member of HR 120 . . . has been for a long time . . . Hi-Y member . . . on Rail Staff . . . specialties include hunting . . . fishing . . . all sports . . . Remembers good old P.A. . . . and all the time spent walking the beat . . . Plans to go to college and become an electrical engineer . . . No embarrassing moments, Pete? . . . is still waiting for his biggest thrill . . . Traveled to East for chemistry in 11A . . . a big tease, but fun to know . . . Favorite pastimes are eating . . . sleeping . . . and women . . . Chums with Hoffa . . . John . . . and the gang.

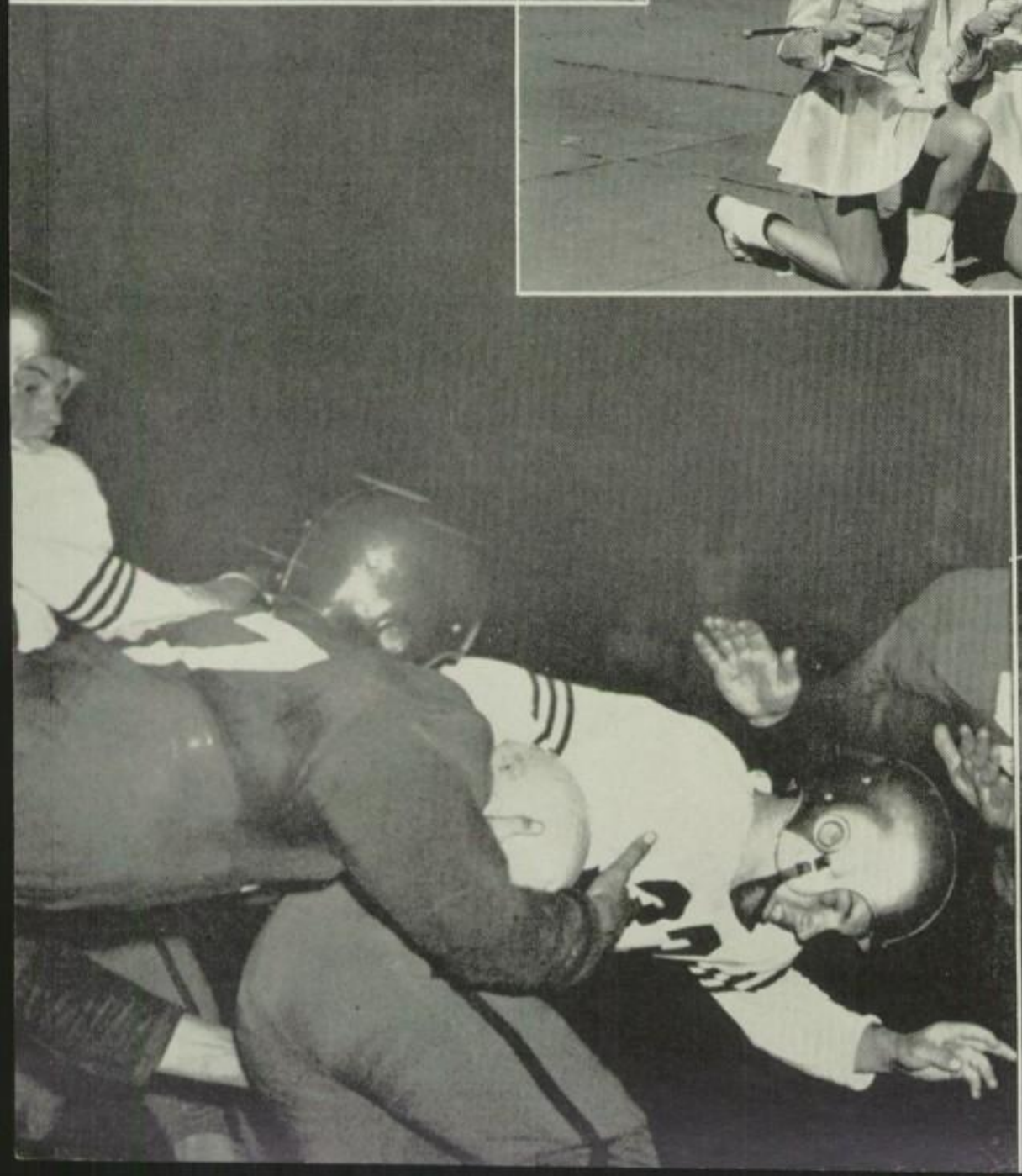
Richard Walker . . .
Big man in ALHS . . . efficient worker . . . Past assembly chairman . . . Football 1, 2 . . . Baseball 1, 2 . . . Wheel? . . . on advertising staff of Rail . . . Hobbies include . . . Electric trains . . . girls . . . . basketball . . . more girls . . . Ambition . . . Betty (??!) . . . embarrassed when asked about Betty in front . . . of class . . . Big thrill will be graduation . . . Rickey Lee . . . claims grade school was quite tame! ! (We wonder R.L.!) . . . Has a way with the women! . . . nice clothes . . . writes red-hot sports copy for Regular Rail . . . Nice personality . . . friend to all . . .

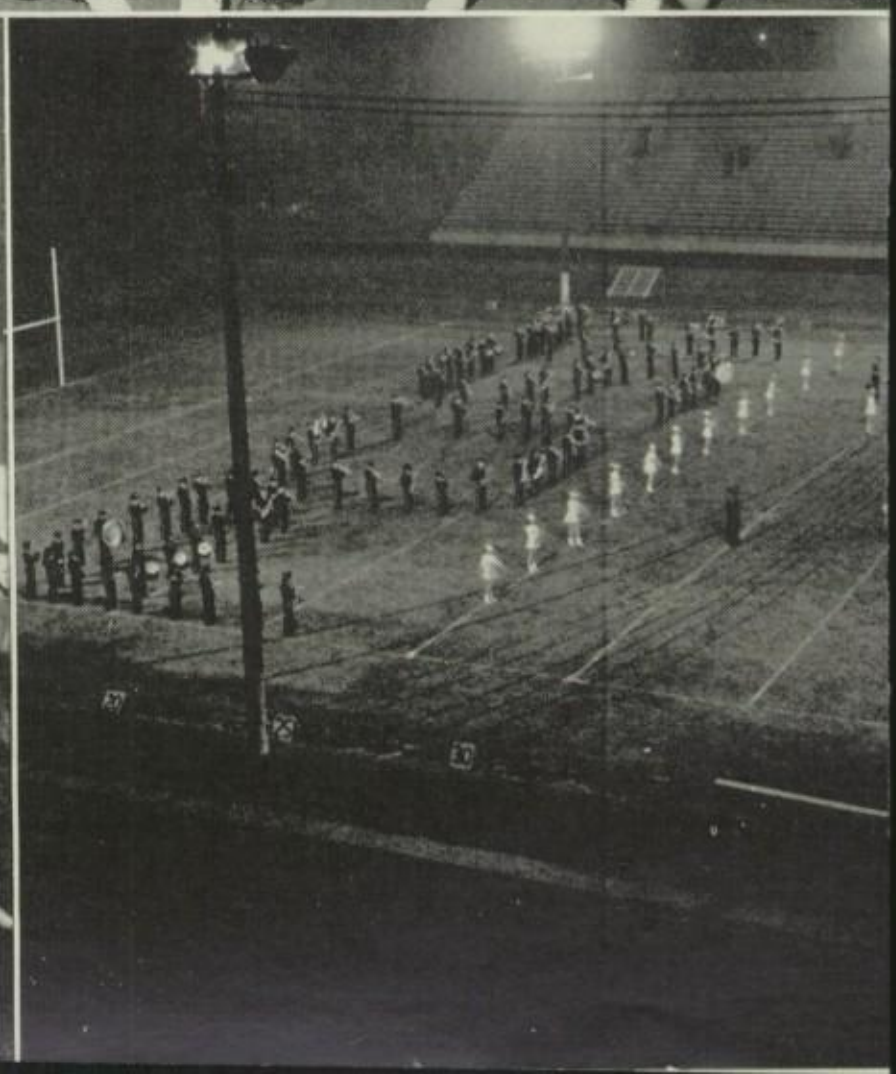
Betty Rae Vallandingham . . .
One busy girl . . . four year office staff member . . . Co-makeup Ed. for the Sr. Rail . . . served on both Jr. and Sr. Councils . . . Y-Teen . . . Pretty blonde hair . . . was thrilled at being elected class secretary . . . was very efficient . . . caught commenting about a certain teacher brought a scarlet color to Rae's face . . . had all the little boys wowed at good old Maple Grove . . . is still slightly? ? interested in fellows . . . ice skating . . . dancing . . . and swimming . . . are Raymond's hobbies . . . aspires to become a success in life . . . We know she will be . . . pals with Mary Van . . . Popular . . . Pretty clothes.



Ralph Wilson . . .
Another 120 lad . . . was advertising manager for both the Sr. and Reg. Rail . . . did a good job . . . "Shorty" went to Boy's State in "47" . . . an athlete . . . Lettered in football and baseball . . . also swam for Lincoln . . . Class day com. . . . Hi-Y . . . turned red when he found himself penniless . . . On a date . . . Willie classes Marilyn . . . and first monogram as biggest thrills . . . has many hobbies . . . hunting . . . dancing . . . sports . . . arguing . . . and Marilyn . . . Ralph's ambition? ? ? to graduate . . . and move from the . . . East side . . . a grand friend . . . nice looking . . . tall . . . dark . . .

Delores Wright . . .
"Dee" . . . gal with big plans! . . . on Parent Tea committee . . . member of Sextette . . . Home Ec Staff . . . always seen playing the piano . . . very talented . . . Hobbies include . . . Dick . . . piano . . . singing . . . sewing . . . Making plans for big wedding . . . Changing her name in Feb. . . . graduation will bring big thrill . . . Hopes to make good housewife . . . to Dick, of course . . . Most embarrassed when she sang an unrehearsed solo in chorus . . . loud mouth! . . . claims grade school was quite exciting . . . Pretty . . . often seen with Jo . . .





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Some of the most important things derived from Journalism, besides learning to be exact and brief is the development of helpfulness, punctuality, promptness, and above all, dependability and cooperation.

The bee hive of students who make up this small newspaper office consist of Mary Van Ginkel, Editor; Betty Rae Vallandingham and Betty Lou Green, Co-make-up Editors; Mary Anne Procopio and Margaret Reilly, Co-feature Editors; Jerry Hoffa, Sports and Dorothy Groves, Circulation.

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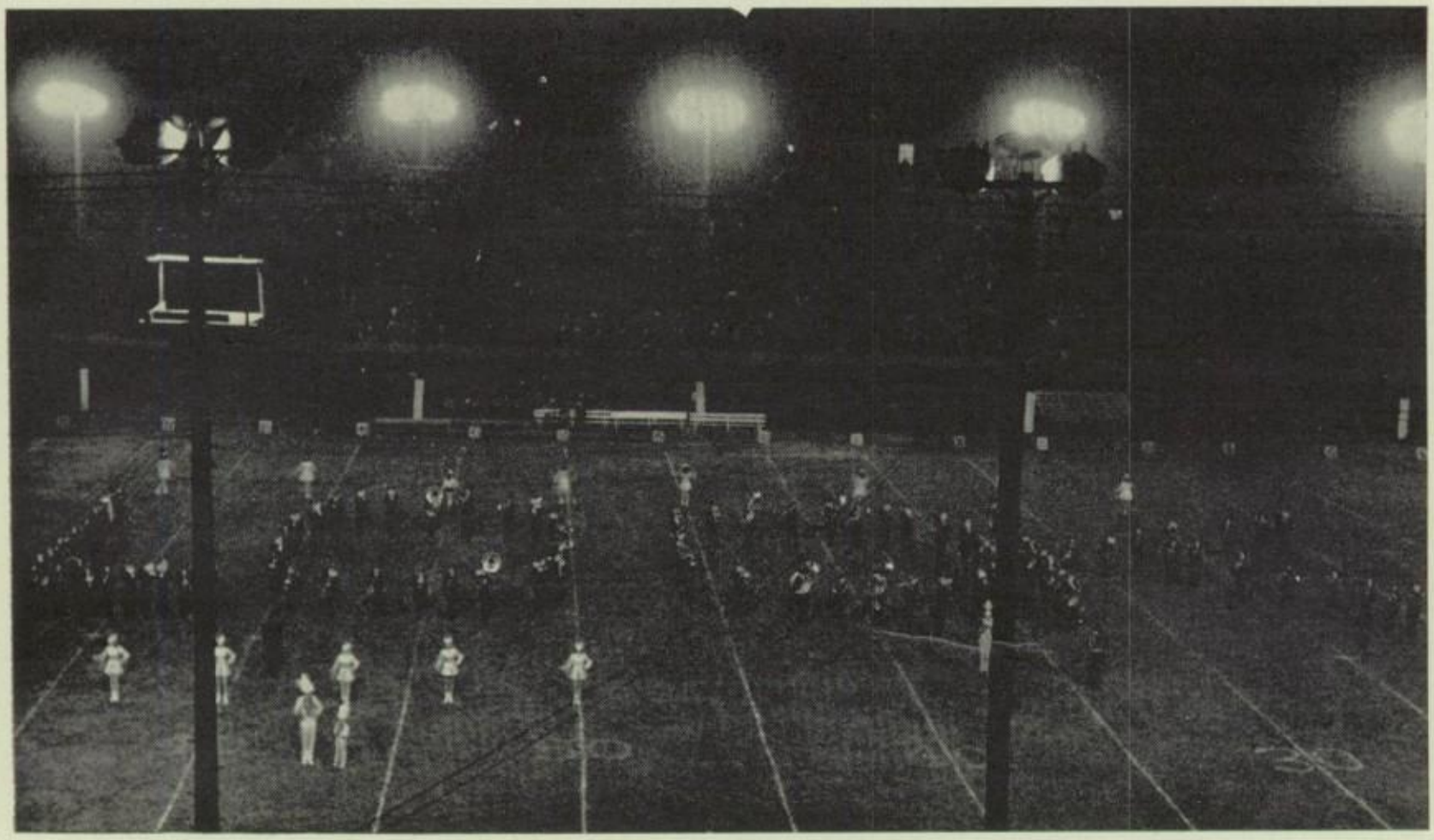
Lincoln's Marching Band



Abes Sports Parade

1948 seemed to be Lincoln's year for sports. Coach Gardner and his gridders finished the season above the 800% mark. Losing only one game this season and tying another, Lincoln finished the rest of the games in victory. This mark was set with the aid of some outstanding Railsplitter players.

SENIORS

Graduating this January are Dick Delmege, Dean Trent, and Francis Riggle, who placed on the all-city Football Teams. Dick Ruston, Francis Riggle, and Dean Trent took berths on the first team, while Dick Delmege was filling a position on the second team. These are just a few who have helped make the victory flag fly more frequently. Coach Gardner will be without the help of twelve gridders next fall due to graduation.

GRAAFF REBUILDS

Coach Graaff has a big job ahead of rebuilding the swimming team, because he has only four letter winners back, plus a lot of determined sophomores and juniors.

GOLFERS

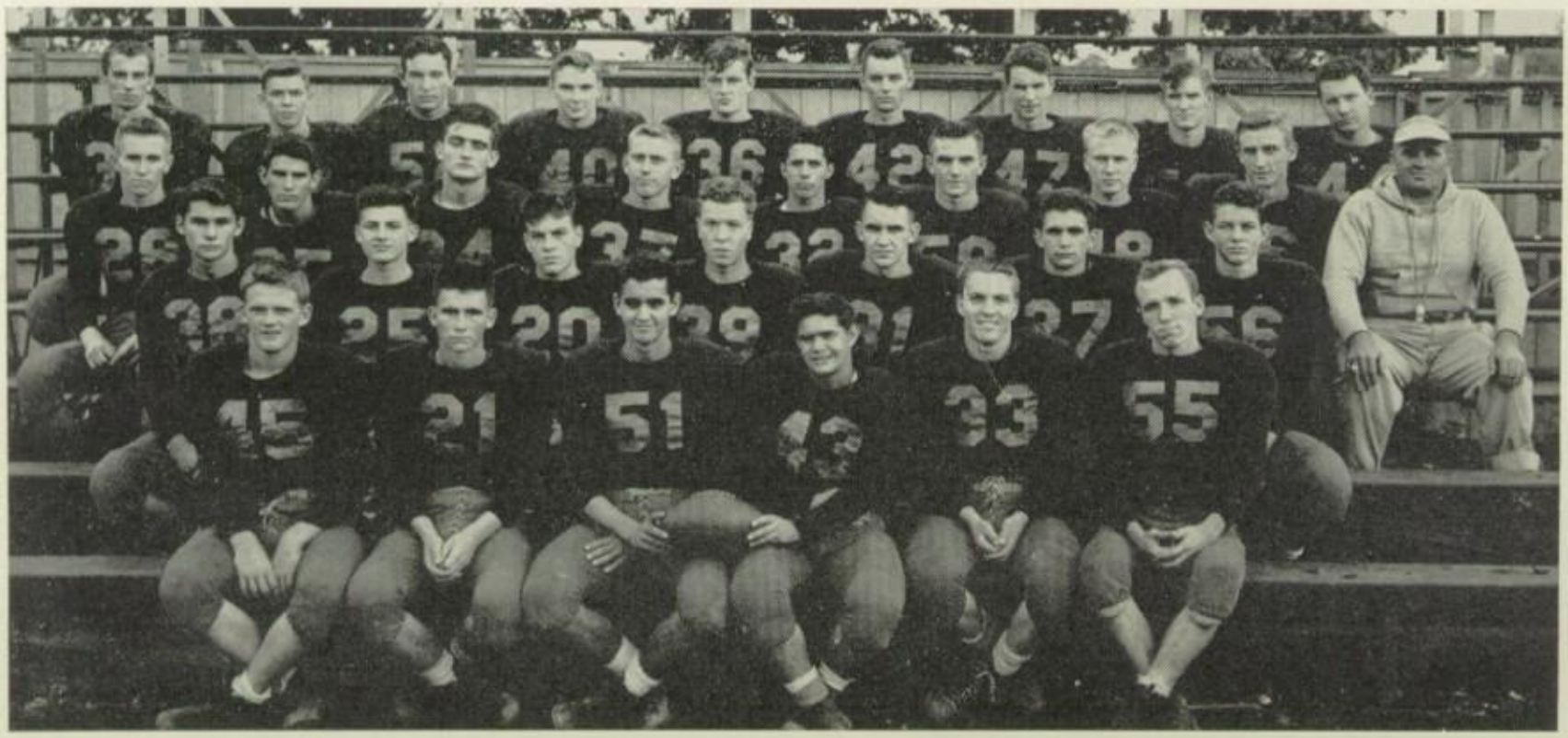
Mr. Morgenthaler and his boys' golf team escaped this season, being just one stroke short of the city championship. The girls' golf also took a second place spot.

TENNIS

Miss Ebers with her tennis team didn't finish the season on top, but they were on the verge of rebuilding a new team.

SECONDS

Coach Talarico and his second team claims a season with only one defeat. This placed them second in the city among the second teams.



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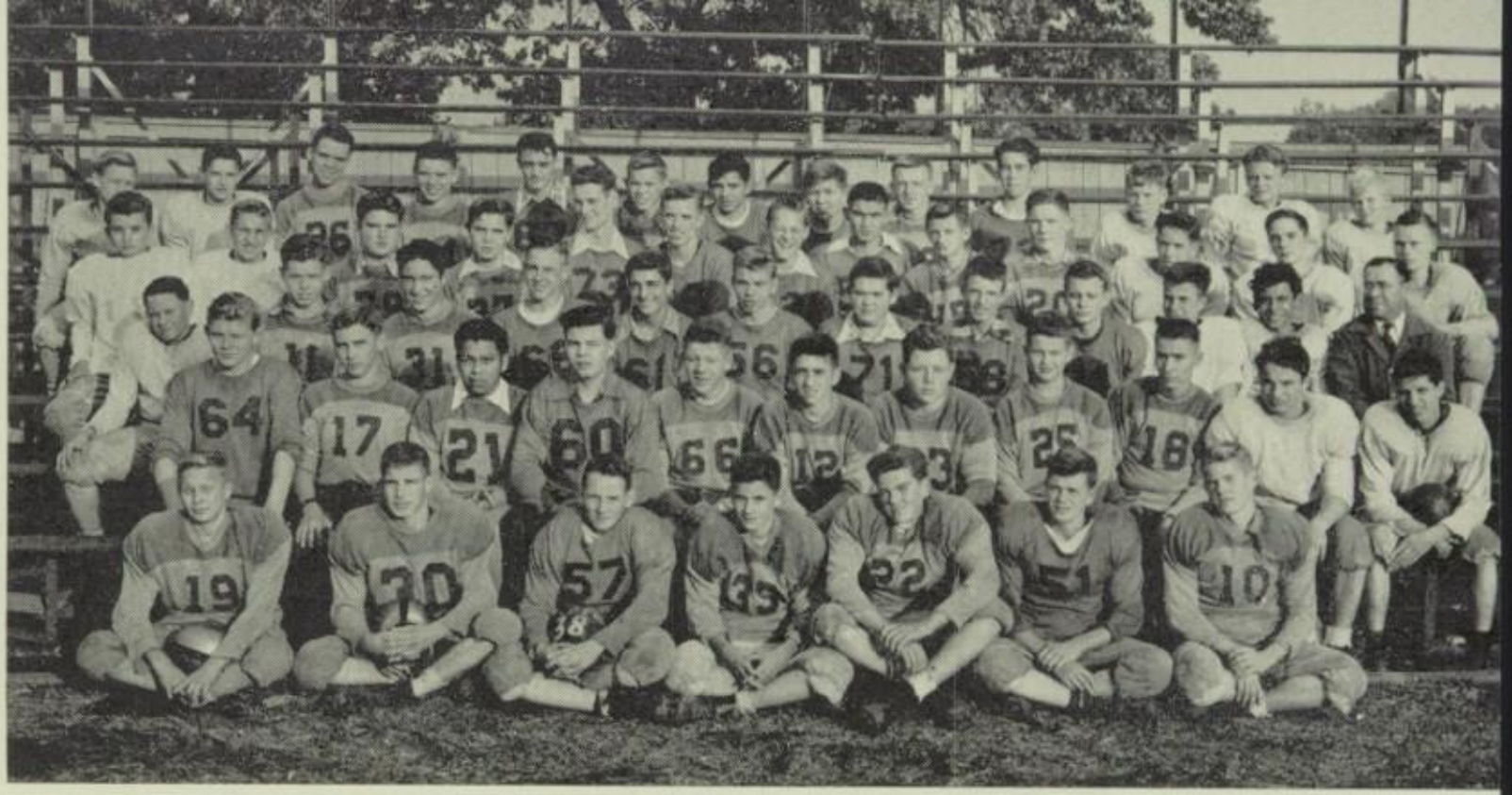

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